(5) what has the Government done to remedy this?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—(1) One hundred and twelve.

(2) Seventy.

(3) No complaint has been received till now.

(4) There has been no such admission.

(5) No answer called for in view of answer to (4).

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—The answer to (3) is 'No complaint has been received till now'. Has any Lower Secondary school been started very near this school that is now held in the Church precincts in Velur?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—There is a school there already.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—When was this new school in Velur near the Velur Church school started?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—Not near the Church, but away from it, say, within a mile.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Nearly a mile. When was it started?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—It is only nearly four years.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Have any instructions been issued to the authorities of the school suggesting the desirability of having their school located outside the Church?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—No formal instructions have been issued. But an informal suggestion to the Managers of the schools was made.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know what led to that?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—We found that there was no necessity for two schools, and if the existing school is placed outside the Church premises, then a new school need not be opened.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—My question is what led to the suggestion of locating the old Church school outside the Church precincts.

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—It is not exactly locating the schools outside the Church premises. When the necessity for two schools came, the advice was given that, instead of having two, there might be one school only and that the same might be located outside.

Furniture and Building grants to Aided schools.

89. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the number of grant-in-aid schools which applied for (a) building grant, (b) furniture grant, during the last five edu-

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cational years stating also the number of years the schools were in existence;

(2) the names of the schools which have been given either of the grants with the amounts given to each under the above two items?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—(1) and (2) Vide statements appended. (*Appendix II.*)

Vernacular Primary schools in the State.

90. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the total number of Vernacular Primary Schools in the State (a) under Government (b) under private management;

(2) the average amount spent on each school in a year (a) under Government (b) under private management;

(3) the number of Primary Schools under private management having Provident Fund system?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—(1) (a) 118 Day Schools and 5 Night schools.

(b) 341 recognised Day Schools and 76 Night Schools.

(2) (a) Roughly Rs. 1,945.

(b) Rs. 843 from State funds. Government have no definite information about the expenditure incurred by the Managers.

(3) Six schools have joined the Aided Teachers' Provident Fund instituted by Government. No other Provident Fund has been recognised by the Department in respect of such schools, nor is the Department aware of the existence of any other system.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—The answer to subdivision (3) of this question is that 'six schools have joined the Aided Teachers' Provident Fund instituted by Government. No other Provident Fund has been recognised by the Department in respect of such schools, nor is the Department aware of the existence of any other system.' Cannot the Managers of other aided schools be asked to work up this system, that is, the system introduced in the six schools?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—The Member now comes to the Special Finance Committee's report. That is one of the recommendations of the Committee.

Vernacular Primary schools and their cost.

91. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the total number of Vernacular Primary schools in the State (i) under Government and (ii) under private management;

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APPENDIX II.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 89.)

(a) Name of Schools which applied for Building or Furniture Grants but not given during the last 5 years.

No.	Name of school	No. of years of existence	Nature of grant applied for.	Remarks
1	Y. W. C. A. Hostel, Kunnamkulam ..	6 years	Building grant	Building grant not given but a donation of Rs. 500 was given in 1099
2	St. Augustine's School, Kokkalai ...	From 1098	Building and Furniture grant	Not given for want of Budget provision
3	Little Flower's School, Thalore ...	Since 1100	do	
4	St. Thomas' Girls' School, Kanjani ..	12 years	Furniture grant	do
5	St. Antony's School, Perambra ..	do	do	do
6	Kerala Varma Sanskrit School, Chowwara ..	3 years	Building grant	do
7	S. T. M. School, Puthiyedam ...	2 years	do	do
8	S. R. V. Lower Secondary School, Ernakulam ..	16 years	Furniture grant	do
9	St. Mary's School, Chennamangalam ...	6 years	Building grant	do
10	Seva Sadan Ernakulam, Caste Hindu Hostel...	1 year	do	do
11	D. M. School, Panamkulam ..	Since 1099	Furniture grant	do

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(b) Number of Aided Schools which have been given Building and Furniture Grants during the last 5 years.

No.	Name of school	No. of years of existence	Amount of Building grant Rs. As. Ps.	Amount of Furniture grant Rs. As. Ps.	Remarks
1	C. M. S. High School, Trichur ..	40 years	...	570 9 0	
2	St. Antony's Lower Secondary School, Pudukkad ..	11 years	...	160 0 0	
3	Vivekodayam High School, Trichur ...	Since 1093	..	250 0 0	
4	C. N. N. High School, Cherpu ...	Since 1091	...	150 0 0	
5	L. M. C. Convent Girls' High School, Chattiath ...	6 years	500 0 0	519 0 0	
6	St. Teresa's Girls' High School, Ernakulam ...	About 20 years	2,000 0 0	...	
7	St. Mary's School, Puttekkara ...	21 years	333 0 0	...	
8	St. Mary's L. S. G. School, Ernakulam ...	8 years	...	487 8 0	
9	St. Joseph's Convent Lower Secondary School, Trichur ..	5 years	...	100 0 0	
10	L. M. C. Malayalam Girls' School, Chathiath ...	8 years	...	50 0 0	
11	A. D. Vidyalayam, Mulakunnathukavu ...	Since 1094	...	100 0 0	
12	Blessed Little Teresa's Lower Secondary School, Irinjalakkuda	5 years	.	150 0 0	
13	St. Mary's School, Edathirinji ...	Since 1094	...	130 8 0	
14	Tharakan's English School, Aranattukara ...	Since 1097	..	170 6 0	
15	Moorkanad Aided School...	Since 1099	...	63 8 0	
16	Infant Jesus School, Kallettumkara ..	Since 1087	...	62 8 0	
17	T. D. H. S., Cochin ...	Since 1063	...	187 8 0	
18	St. Albert's High School, Ernakulam ...	36 years	142 1 0	...	
19	Islam School, Kokkalai ...	Since 1102 Edavam	*2,000 0 0	...	

*Not given. Provision is made in the budget, for Rs. 2,000 sanctioned.

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